

PYTHIAN SUPPER BOOKED TONIGHT

Mountain City Lodge Arranges Fine Program

There is a big time on this evening for the members of Mountain City lodge No. 48, Knights of Pythias.

The show starts at 8 o'clock and goodness knows when it will be over. A chicken supper will be the first number on the program. The Pythian Sisters are in charge of preparing the "feed" and by past experience of every member of the local lodge knows what wonderful banquets are served under the less formal term of supper. There will be a few set speeches, following the supper, set as to time they may consume. Mack's Orchestra will play continuously through the soup and coffee course, and intermittently from then on during the meal.

Following the supper, the regular lodge session will be held, at which time seven candidates will take the rank of knight. The work will be put on in the amplified form by the new degree team of the lodge which is under the direction of Major M. M. Neely and H. S. Woodward.

At the meeting of the lodge next Thursday night an effort will be made to form a company of the uniform rank of the order. General Myers of Wheeling has been invited to address the meeting.

The entertainment committee of the lodge is active at the present time and is planning several stunts for the lodge members before the warm months come when lodge work is curtailed.

BARNUM WOULD

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case in any Universe; a swimming and diving act by the world's champion indoor swimmer, and a miniature performance that can "go long there white trash!" to Nell O'Brien's own.

A description of the entire show would take up too much space and would require too much of the reader's time beside curtailing his later enjoyment of the circus; but a brief review of the entire affair told by one who has been through it all in word-picture and rehearsal would not be inopportune.

The Big Parade

Programs for all three days will be identical. Each evening of the three-day stand, the parade will start at 6:30 o'clock and take its tour of Fairmont avenue and Main street. Heading the parade will be Chief of Police L. D. Snider. He will have an advance guard composed of the Greater Fairmont Band and the Bingo Clown Band.

Assisting him on various sides will be Attorney Ward Lanham, Mayor W. W. Conaway, Jack Abbott who is a local singer of note, Boy Scout Executive T. A. Tate, Assistant Cashier Harry Engle of the Fairmont State Bank, A. G. Martin who is better known as "Hacker," and by Heck, W. J. Weigle, editor of the Fairmont West Virginian. At least, that is the way the parade committee of which all of the foregoing are members have made arrangements to march. This may be changed somewhat at the committee meeting to be held this evening at the "Y" Building.

To Guard Animals

And amidst the roaring of the wild animals in the cages, the parade will wend its way. R. U. Jackson, general chairman of the circus committee, and B. M. Veltman, his secretary, have repeatedly assured the public that none of the ferocious beasts of the jungle will be allowed to break out of their cage or create any sort of disturbance. The safety of the public is considered first above all things.

The clowns will be on the job with their funny antics and there is not a doubt that every child in Marion County will be on Main street to watch the parade each evening of the three days. The parade leaves the "Y" Building at 6:30 and marches on Fairmont avenue to Fifth street. There it turns, marches back down the street and across South Side bridge. It proceeds along Main street to Quincy street, salutes the West Virginian, turns and marches back to the "Y".

No Admission at Door.

There is no admission charged at the door—just strolls in casual. As if one would pay for any one should ask. In the large ante-room will be found all kinds of booths, stands and games.

On one side of the room, Fatima, the fearless fortune-teller from Fairview, holds forth with her revelation of secrets of the days to come. Fatima is one of the infallible and it was only at a great expense that those in charge of arrangements were able to secure her services for these three appearances. She comes to this city from the far-off Fairview where she had quite a reputation as a seer of the unseen.

Pink lemonade is another feature of the evening's entertainment. It is announced, also, that none need stay away for fear of inability to procure his regular evening Eskimo Pie as plenty of that delectable confection will be doing duty.

Connelly, too? you said it! Tests of skill will be held in the center of the room. It was especially remarked by the "Y" leaders that there would be no games of chance, or any sort of gambling in connection with the circus. Names of some of the tests of skill are: Knock-the-Ball, Ring-the-Cane,

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Throw-a-Dart, Ring-the-Box and Ring-in-Bowl.

The Grand Sideshow.

Like all sideshow exhibits, most of those in the "Y" circus are veiled in mystery. Those in the main sideshow are especially this way. This show is off to the left and in a separate room and one feels a bit creepy about entering it. Once one is in it, the "lovers in the well" fascinate. How did Lois and Louis get down in the well? And how do they breathe down there in the water?

The man with three heads has his turn at your interest and then Monsieur Sharkey, the fish-man (he has scales), attracts your attention. The mystic bat is a real mystery which you must see to enjoy. The snake-charmer has them all scared. The three-legged man and the Siamese twins (Fasto and Duo) were hired from Barnum & Bailey to return to her own in 1907, as was the wild man from Borneo who has been fed on raw meat for the last three months to keep him in condition for his three day performance here. Teeney, the fat man, who is said to weigh only 823 pounds, is in the pink of perfect health and is ready to meet all comers.

But what really forms the big feature of the main sideshow is what we are naming last: Mile. Hula-Fiftis, the famous hula-hula dancer from the wilds of Mopogah. Mile. Hula-Fiftis has just finished a dramatically successful run of three years from New York (error, error! make to read "New York") and her stop here is only for the three days and she is then to return to her own dear native home in the Monongah valley.

Downstairs, and apart from the main sideshow, will be given the performance of Mile. Ella-Phantom, the champion indoor woman diver and swimmer of the world. At first Mile. Ella-Phantom always wore the medals she had won in swimming contests and by life-saving but after a narrow escape from drowning last July on account of her extraordinary weight, she was forced to abandon them. Mile. Ella-Phantom is sure that her stunts of trick swimming cannot be equalled by local persons and is issuing a challenge to any woman in Fairmont to duplicate her stunts.

In the Sawdust Ring.

At 8:15 the greatest show on earth starts in the sawdust ring, which has been constructed in the "Y" gym.

The first number on the program, ladies and gentlemen, is the silk-hatted, evening-dressed announcer will cry, "is the marvelous wonderful, beautiful Peace, Progress and Prosperity Pageant, the greatest production of its kind in the world!"

Then the Zeppelin Twins, aerial performers, will get in their deadly licks with a demonstration on the flying rings. These two young men are brilliant gymnasts and put on a genuinely spectacular exhibition.

Ha! the ring is plunged in darkness! The Lightning Manipulators come forth, swinging proudly their illuminated Indian clubs. A flash of light, and the deck is cleared for the action of Twisto and Hercules, two prominent local men, who will put on a more or less serious boxing exhibition. When it is known that the combatants are so prominent and that the referee is still more prominent and that the fight looks like the real thing—it becomes a case for Larry of the Sport Page.

The Parallelogramic Parallelograms are so well known that they need no introduction. Besides, well, one doesn't always know about those things. The Whirlwind Group adds to the fun, and during a full—

Senorita Teresita

Senorita Teresita, the Spanish dancer, is before the audience. She is beautiful—ah! more than beautiful, and how she can dance! Her elegant costumes will charm the women even as they were charmed by the Style Show. The senorita has made quite a record for herself in Spanish dancing and she comes here well recommended. Husbands with jealous wives are warned not to stay for this act.

Following the act of the Egyptian Pyramids, comes the lightest feature and the most wonderful surprise stunt of the entire evening. It is put on by the Bingo Downs who give as a prologue a little one-act skit entitled "Time to Get Up." And then comes the fire-works, and the thing which will keep them all in their seats until the last minute of the show.

At 9:15, or immediately following "the greatest show on earth," Fred Doringer's minstrels will cut the crowd from sorrow in the auditorium, and impart mirth and gaiety to an audience of well, 300 or 400 can be cared for in the auditorium. There are eighteen persons in the minstrel show.

BROADCASTING LECTURES

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Medical lectures are being broadcast from Washington by radio telephone three times a week, public health officials stated today. The lectures are delivered from the office of Surgeon General Cummings by Dr. C. C. Pierce, who speaks for about fifteen minutes.

Tuesdays at 4:15 p. m., on a 1,100 meter wave, and Wednesday and Thursday at 9 p. m. from the Anacostia Station.

WILL REDEEM BONDS

S. LOUIS, March 23.—Municipal bonds of the World Fair issue of 1904, amounting to \$1,313,000 will be redeemed by the city of St. Louis on April 1 next, it was announced yesterday. All banks holding such bonds were notified to turn them into the city treasurer, March 31.

Local Educators Speak at Celebration Held at East Run

East Run, the first standardized one-room school in West Virginia yesterday received formal recognition by the State Department of Free Schools, Melville Stewart of Charleston acting as a representative of George M. Ford, state superintendent of schools.

The program given at the school yesterday included addresses by I. A. Barnes, county superintendent of schools, Prof. Thomas C. Miller of Fairmont, Joseph Roster of the Fairmont State Normal School, Miss Eva L. Blair, county home demonstration agent, Miss Evelyn Thomas, Red Cross nurse, A. L. Thomas, superintendent of schools in Mannington District, C. F. Prickett of Barrackville.

The program was opened by the pupils of the school singing "America," followed by the American Creed and a prayer by the Rev. F. M. Malcolm of Farmington. A quartet composed of Ruth Hawkins, Emory Criss, Mary Kerr and Earl Etaw sang "Hike Along," and the other musical numbers included "Hail West Virginia," sung by the school children, and a duet by Ruby and Ruth Hawkins, twins.

In his address of recognition, Mr. Stewart read a letter designating the school as the first standardized one-room school in the state from the state superintendent of schools to Cleon Brand, president of the board of education in Lincoln District. "You have the first standardized one-room school in West Virginia," declared Mr. Stewart, after reading the letter. "Co-operation brought this fine result. There are now four white and one colored standardized schools in the state and three of the four white schools are taught by teachers who are graduates of the Fairmont State Normal School. It gives me great pleasure to say that your school has been classed as the first standardized one-room school in the state," he concluded.

In her talk, Miss Blair emphasized the fact that if you ever have a better place to live, you will make it better where you are. While Miss Thomas, in her talk, praised the East Run School as a model. "In other schools," she said, "I like to talk about conditions at East Run. They have a first-class country school, and East Run has been an inspiration to me in my work."

"Set your mark and then work to it," advised Mr. Thomas, and Mr. Prickett declared that "there is no secret of success—it is just an open book. Success knocks only once. Opportunity never knocks. It waits all the time. Start from where you are to get where you want to be."

"This is the biggest day and the most significant occasion in the history of this community and your school," said County Superintendent Barnes in his address. "It is a great thing to have the first place on the educational map of West Virginia. While there are many thousand schools in the state, no other one can have the first place. It belongs to your school, and it has been brought about by the splendid spirit of co-operation. The board of education, the district superintendent, the teacher, the patrons and pupils of the school, all working together, have brought about this very happy result. I congratulate you most heartily and am very happy to participate in this occasion," he said in conclusion.

Professor Miller congratulated the teacher, board of education and the community upon the evidence of progress as shown in the new building and its equipment. He referred to former conditions as he knew them in Marion County, noting the contrast and expressing his satisfaction that he had lived to see the realization of some of his dreams. He referred to the old log school with the log fire, and on asking his audience if any one attended that kind of a school, he found one woman there who had, Mrs. W. T. Parrish.

"As citizens, this occasion makes us think of the things that are worth while," said Professor Roster in his talk. "It is a time to realize that the durable satisfactions of life are spiritual and cultural. Material wealth may be lost, but spiritual values are precious possessions of a lifetime. The people of the community should recognize the richness of life as shown through the heart and spirit."

"Among the great influences of the school is the teacher. The service of a fine teacher cannot be over-magnified. In this period of depression there should be no thought of a backward step in teaching standards, salaries and school terms."

"After all, achievement and service are the measure of real success. The pupils of this school should look forward to the completion of their education here in high school, in normal school, college and university," he said.

Following the program, a chicken dinner, including ice cream and cake, was served.

SHORTAGE REPORTED

WASHINGTON, March 23.—On the basis of reported collection of income taxes of the March installment, a shortage of \$200,000,000 in the estimated revenues from these sources for the calendar year 1922 was estimated today by the treasury.

GET VOTE OF CONFIDENCE

LONDON, March 23.—The Italian cabinet headed by Premier Facta was given an unanimous vote of confidence today by the senate as the close of a debate on the government's policy, says a Stefani dispatch this morning.

TRAINING SCHOOLS TO OPEN SOON

Spring Term at Normal School Will Open April 1

Fairmont State Normal School will open its spring term April 1 and it will last nine weeks, the summer term beginning June 12.

War has been declared on poor teaching in West Virginia and hundreds of teachers in the state have declared their intention of attending the teacher training schools which will be opened this spring and summer in practically every county in the state, according to the state department of education, which directs the work.

Spring and summer terms are being offered at almost every college in the state, as well as at the state university. Many high schools in rural districts and counties are offering special courses for teachers after the close of the elementary schools. These special high school classes will begin about April 1.

The county training schools are primarily for teachers who have not had much high school and normal training. These schools will do work for regular high school credit, chiefly in subjects that are taught in the elementary schools, including grammar, arithmetic, history and geography. Professional courses will be offered for which credit will be given on the normal course and in meeting the requirements for applicants for a first grade certificate.

The West Virginia University will have a 12 week summer term. The department of education is making a special effort to accommodate teachers who have completed their high school course and persons preparing for positions in high school and supervisory work. The term at the university begins June 12.

All state normal schools and most of the private schools are making special plans to accommodate teachers during this spring and summer.

Spring and summer terms for teachers at the various institutions will begin as follows:

Concord normal, spring term, April 4, nine weeks; summer term, June 12, 9 weeks. Fairmont normal, spring term, April 4, nine weeks; summer term, June 12, 9 weeks. Glenville normal, spring

term, March 20, 12 weeks; summer term, June 12; Marshall college, spring term, March 20, 12 weeks; summer term, June 12, 6 to 12 weeks. Shepherd college normal, spring term, April 18, 9 weeks; summer term, June 12, 9 weeks.

West Liberty, spring term, March 27, 12 weeks; summer term, June 12, 9 weeks. West Virginia collegiate institute, summer term, June 12, 9 weeks. Bethany college, summer term, June 19, 6 to 12 weeks. Davis and Elkins college, spring term, April 1, 12 weeks; summer term, June 20, 8 weeks. Salem college spring term, April 3, 9 weeks; summer term, June 5, 9 weeks. West Virginia Wesleyan, summer term, June 5, 9 weeks. Potomac state school, spring term, April 10, 6 weeks; summer term, June 10, 8 weeks. New River state school, summer school, June 19, 6 weeks. Charleston extension school, summer term, June 12, 9 weeks.

According to the state department of education, there are 4,800 teachers in West Virginia who have only an elementary school education. Only 33 per cent of the teachers in the state have high school or normal school training.

Clarksville Man to Have
Charge of Road Patrol

W. H. Davis of Clarksville will have charge of maintenance of state roads in Northern West Virginia April 1, it was announced in Morgantown today by W. S. Downs, state road engineer for the Northern division of the state. Mr. Davis will organize a force of patrolmen and gang workers to maintain the roads on a new system similar to that used in Maryland.

Mr. Downs said. The patrolmen will be assigned to certain stretches of the road and will make such repairs as they are able. The gang workers will be transferred from road to road to make more extensive repairs.

Coincident with this announcement, Mr. Downs said that the forty roads in Harrison, Barbour, Doddridge, Lewis, Marion Braxton, Taylor, Upshur, Webster and Monongahela counties built by city, county or district bodies would be taken over for maintenance by the state on April 1.

GIVEN EQUAL RIGHTS

WARSAW, March 23.—The government has adopted a resolution giving women equal rights with men sitting on juries, American and English precedent was quoted in the debates. The settlement makes Poland, the first country of the continent to legalize women jurors.

STRIKE BLAMED ON NON UNION MINERS

Local Operator Gives Ex- planation of Coal Situation

"There has been too much use of the strike threat as a sales argument and it has been so effective that reserves are in some cases adequate for along term," according to an editorial in Coal Age, dealing with the bituminous situation. "A mining suspension now appears really necessary before any appreciable market recovery can be expected."

"Members of the Northern West Virginia Coal Operators' Association have stressed this point repeatedly," said C. H. Jenkins, secretary and treasurer, Hutchinson Coal Co. "We must face the facts. When a strike threat is made there is a general clamor among buyers for coal. They rush the market for spot deliveries, and at this time we simply cannot compete with the non-union fields. They are selling coal cheaper than we can mine it under our present scale, and the result is that our mines are idle

while the non-union operations are running on steady time."

"How long do the miners of Northern West Virginia want to be so generous to the non-union miners? How long can they afford to fill the other fellows' dinner pails at the expense of their own?"

"I hope you will have a strike in the West Virginia fields," a prominent coal operator from the Pennsylvania field was quoted in the Morgantown Post on March 15. "This sounds selfish, and is in fact an expression of purely selfish sentiment, but it means money and business for us," he continued.

"That operator owns and directs the operation of eight or nine mines in the Fayette and Green County fields, the story stated. There the mines are operated under the Frick scale, a scale fixed by the owners of the mines, in which union or non-union men are employed without discrimination, but which does not recognize the union. The Frick interests in the coal business are strong enough to make their terms, and to close their plants if necessary, in order to enforce them."

"That operator expects to beat us to the market with an inferior coal, and expects to hire our best men. If a strike comes, is this what the miners of district 17 desire?"

Gold was recently discovered in the Austrian Alps near Grossglockner.

Oldest operated mine in the world is said to be in north Sweden.

J. Bintz Resigns as 'Y' Physical Director

Following on the heels of the resignation Tuesday of Jack Cash as general secretary of the local Y. M. C. A., came the announcement last night that Jacob Bintz, director of physical training in the organization, has also given up his position.

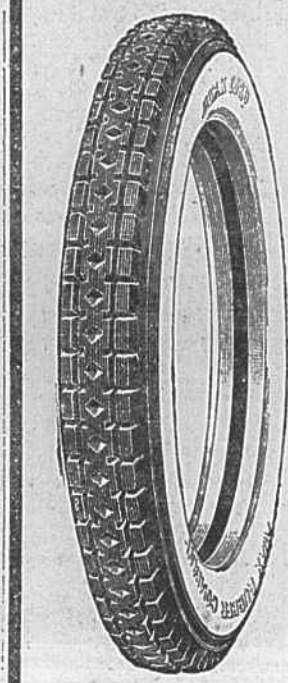
While Mr. Cash, it is stated, will probably accept a station as secretary of either the Richmond, Va. or Nashville, Tenn. Y. M. C. A., Mr. Bintz has not yet made his future plans known.

Both resignations have been accepted by the association directors and are to become effective immediately.

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